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It is that is soon angry death foot-

ishly. -Proverbs xiv.

The life insurance companies will be hard hit by the loss of the Lusitania. One couple, Elbert Hubbard and wife, were insured for \$22,000.

Receiving strong support from prominent Democrats throughout Waldo county, Maurice W. Lord of Belfast has been named judge of the Municipal Court of Belfast to succeed Judge Wayland Knowlton, who was appointed by Gov. Plaisted in 1911 and whose term will expire June 29. Frank A. Greer of Belfast was an active candidate for the appointment and received some support. Judge Knowlton was a candidate for reappointment.

A world's pitching record was claimed last Thursday for Urban Faber of the Chicago Americans as a result of his performance in defeating the Washington club, four to one, at Chicago Wednesday. According to baseball experts Faber pitched only 67 balls during the nine innings, five less than the record established by Christy Mathewson of the New York Nationals several years ago. In the third and fifth innings, Faber retired six men on six pitched balls, each batter hitting the first ball for an out.

More than \$250,000 worth of jewels accumulated by the late Madame Nordica, opera singer, are included in the appraisal of her estate now in progress. This estimate was made by the administrator of the estate, who examined the gems Friday. Among the ornaments was one valued at \$75,000 and there were many whose value ran to \$15,000 and \$20,000. There was a great number of medals and insignia presented to the singer by nearly all the crowned heads of Europe.

There will not be an Eastern Maine league this year, which last season comprised the cities of Old Town, Belfast, Bangor and Brewer. The teams have failed to secure the proper backing to start in again and no one appears to want to take the responsibility of starting it. Last year the league started with the above named cities but at the first of the season Belfast secured such a lead on the remaining teams of the league that the other three teams during the middle of August held a meeting to vote Belfast out of the league. When this was done Bangor withdrew leaving Old Town and Brewer the only ones left. Belfast was then taken back into the league and three teams finished the season. Bangor dropped out because of the lack of support financially. The teams completed the season and Brewer, which had been the favorite, won the championship. This year it was talked that they might try it again and later on a combination of the trolley league and Eastern Maine circuit was talked but both appear to have fallen through.

BATH'S PERAMBULATING MAYOR

Mayor Small of Bath bears the distinction of being the greatest pedestrian who has ever occupied the mayoralty chair. His average gait is four miles an hour and he is the fact that he has just passed his 60th birthday he can reel off five miles when necessary requires. His fondness for walking has caused him to pace off all the streets throughout the city and he is able to tell the exact length of every street, just how much plank sidewalk there is and also the amount of brick and gravelitic walk and where it is located. He has paced off every hydrant and noted its location, as well as every street light and whether it is an ether or incandescent. All this information he obtained last year when as an alderman he tramped all over the city. At that time he jotted down all his data in a notebook which he carries constantly in his vest pocket. He is considered the best informed man on these matters of any executive who ever occupied the mayoralty chair.

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HER SAFETY FEARED

Thomaston-Built Schooner R. W. Hopkins Is Long Overdue.

Fears are expressed for the safety of the four-masted Boston schooner R. W. Hopkins, which left Baltimore for San Juan, P.R., on March 30, and has not since been heard from. The vessel is so long overdue that hope has been practically abandoned. It is feared she foundered in the gale April 3. The Hopkins was commanded by Capt. Ellis of West Harwich, and carried nine men. She was owned by Crowell & Thurlow of Boston and valued at about \$25,000. The Hopkins was built at Thomaston in 1896. She was 186.4 feet long, 38.9 feet beam and 18.8 feet depth of hold, with a net tonnage of 829 and a gross tonnage of 895.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, our heavenly Father has called home from our circle, to the celestial Circle of eternal happiness, in the spiritual world beyond, Mrs. Eliza Keene, our beloved friend and much esteemed treasure:

Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the dear departed to say, that the Universalist church circle has indeed lost one of its most honored and faithful members, one who was ever ready and willing to perform cheerfully all of the duties incumbent upon her office as treasurer for 56 years.

Resolved, That we extend to her afflicted family our deepest love and sympathy; and may we commend them for consolation to him who orders all things for the best.

Resolved, That this heartfelt testimony of our sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to the relatives of our dear departed friend, by the secretary.

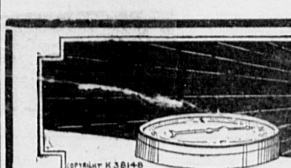
Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the circle; and also a copy thereof be transmitted to the city papers.

Mrs. Georgia A. Glover, Mrs. Clara G. Black, Mrs. Mary A. Banks, Mrs. Lydia Gregory, Executive Committee.

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BALD ROCK TRAIL

Camden Board of Trade Completes Another Mountain Tour Which Summer Visitors Will Appreciate.

The Camden Board of Trade has had completed another mountain trail which will be greatly appreciated by visitors here this summer, says the Camden Herald. This is the Bald Rock trail. All who have ever climbed to the summit of Bald Rock will acknowledge that it offers one of the most beautiful views of any in this region. This trail makes it readily accessible. The starting point of this trail is on the Belfast road about 3 1/2 miles from the Camden postoffice. The trail leads for a long distance along a fine old wood road along which a gurgling brook often appears and reappears. Leaving the wood road when the mountain is reached the trail leads to the summit by a very easy climb, and no person who climbs Bald Rock will ever regret the effort expended. Those who go to Bald Rock this way may return the same way or go down the trail on the northern side coming out in Lincolnville. A trail also connects Megunticook and Bald Rock, and those who are ambitious to take a long mountain tramp will enjoy this trail which has just been opened. This trail from Megunticook to Bald Rock starts from the regular Megunticook trail at "Zeke's Lookout" passes out through heavy woods to the Eastern ledge where there is an elegant view. Thence along a high horseback ridge down into the valley and up to Bald Rock by the northern trail. These trails like those opened last year are plainly marked by red arrows, blazed trees and red paint on trees and ledges.

The Megunticook trail opened last year was used a great deal and it is expected that the Bald Mountain trail will be very popular. The Dry Goods Economist says that an excellent demand continues for marine ruffs, especially the close-fitting types edged with narrow ribbon. In some of the best models a tiny flower is used to add brightness. "The newest way of wearing flowers, however, is at the wrist, tucked into the cuff. Among the new neckwear is the huge Marie-Odile collar, taken from the costume worn by Frances Starr in the production of this name. It is particularly effective when finished with a long black silk tie, which can be worn either in box or in four-in-hand arrangement. Another shape of interest is very deep and square in the back, slashed on each shoulder so as to form a wide revers in the front. On the basis of vessels completed and vessels under construction, the rank of the nations in naval standing is: Great Britain, first; Germany, second; United States, third; France, fourth; Japan, fifth; Russia, sixth; Italy, seventh; Austria, eighth; Greece, ninth.

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AN AIRSHIP GUESS
A South Thomaston correspondent writes to The Courier-Gazette: "I have seen no recent references to the 'mysterious airship' flying over Knox county and other parts of the State. I made a guess at the time they were being frequently reported as to what these visitations might mean, as follows: If there was no liquor in Boston no demand for it in Maine there would be no flying machines after dark."

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BEAUTIFYING ROCKLAND
A piece of landscape gardening is being done on High street by W. W. Tibbets. The lot across the street from his residence, hitherto vacant or used as a kitchen garden, is being beautifully laid out, and when grown with shrubs and flowers, with a fountain and an ornamental gateway, it will be one of the beauty spots of the city. Moreover, it sets an example for the betterment of unoccupied lots that it would vastly improve the town to have followed.

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GOOD ARTISTS TO APPEAR
Knox Lodge, I. O. O. F., is to be congratulated in securing the services of Miss Pauline Hammond to assume the title role in its production of "The Thief." It was at Mr. Harvey's earnest request that she consented to do it. Miss Hammond and Mr. Harvey were together for a number of years in their professional capacity. Miss Hammond has appeared in all the larger cities in this part, and with the cast selected to sustain these principals the finest local talent, performance of recent years is assured. There are but two women in the cast. Miss Ogarrita Rose appears as "Isabel" much to the gratification of those who have witnessed her success in previous theatricals.

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SOFT SOAP MAKING
Where is the old-fashioned woman, who used to make soft soap? Half a century ago, and even later, every well-ordered home in Rockland had its soft soap barrel. Wood ashes and grease were saved through the year, lump potash was bought at the stores, and each spring had a time set apart to family soap making. Gradually the custom was abandoned—the bar soap of commerce grew cheap and was easy to get. For a period there was a factory on Rankin street west of Broadway that made soft soap, and a man named W. F. Melvin used to supply it from a wagon to a small and steadily diminishing circle of customers. The soap factory building stands with long-closed doors upon the bar soap ceased a score of years ago to travel the streets of the city. Does any woman in Rockland make soft soap nowadays?

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FOURTY YEARS BEHIND
A young man was wandering about the docks Wednesday says the Portland Press who was about 40 years behind the times. He was anxiously inquiring for the tying up place of the boat that runs to Bangor. He was told there was no such institution as the Bangor boat now, and had not been for a great many years. He was shown the place where the Rockland boat tied, and was told he could go to Rockland from here and then from Rockland to Bangor on another one the next morning. He looked as though he thought there was a gap in the Maine coast steamship service, but said nothing.

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—Isaac Walton
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With flame of freedom in their souls,
And light of knowledge in their eyes.
They shall be gentle, brave and strong
To spill no drop of blood, but dare
All that may plant man's lordship firm
O'er earth and fire, and sea and air.
Nation with nation, land with land,
Unarmed shall live as comrades free,
And through the world's great heart shall thrush
The pulse of one fraternity.
Great minds shall rise with ampler powers,
A loftier wisdom to impart,
And arts shall bloom of nobler mould,
And night shall be more like paradise.
Then want and war, and sin and shame,
No more shall triumph 'neath the skies,
But every life shall lift its song,
And earth be more like paradise.
—John Addington Symonds

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Things Doing In Rockland

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Matters, Simple Or Curious, Interesting To Those Who Follow the Local History of the Town.

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ROCKLAND BANK BILL
A Clarinda (Iowa) newspaper man writes to The Courier-Gazette: "One of your Rockland bank bills passed through our office today. It was a \$5 bill and bore the signatures of G. H. Wiggin, president, and H. E. Robinson, cashier." Well, those names made the bill perfectly good.

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PICTURESQUE ROCKLAND
The wharves and shores of Rockland harbor offer many picturesque points for the artist. We never appreciated this so fully as on a recent call at the Park street studio of W. P. Burpee, where a number of sketches are to be seen that he has made during the recent winter. Little gems, they are.

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WANT YOUR PRINTING
The Courier-Gazette is always glad to receive orders for its job printing department. Artistic workmen, modern type designs and best grade materials combine to make the printed product satisfactory to the customer. Moreover, the prices are as moderate as would be expected consistent with first-class work.

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FLAG DAY COMING
June 14 has been designated as Flag Day, when the country at large will observe the 138th anniversary of the adoption of the United States flag. The anniversary has special significance this year, when so many other nations are at war, and when our own country is momentarily in danger of being drawn into the world's greatest quarrel. Let everybody hoist "Old Glory" June 14, and see how good it looks.

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SPRINKLING CITY STREETS
The question of street sprinkling again becomes acute as dusty summer advances. Rockland has not enough public sprinklers to do an adequate job.

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LEE IN A UNIFORM
Lee Morse, rural delivery carrier, is now seen upon his route clad in a carrier's uniform of gray with brass buttons. It doesn't make Lee any better carrier, for he has always been good enough, but the uniform adds dignity to the job and patrons of the route like it.

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Talk of the Town

Coming Neighborhood Events
 May 18—League Baseball: Rockland High vs Camden High, Broadway ground.
 May 19—Bowdoin College Dramatic Club at Empire Theatre in "Jack Straw."
 May 19—Baseball: South Portland High vs Thomaston High, at Thomaston.
 May 19—Baseball (League): Thomaston High vs Vinalhaven High at Vinalhaven.
 May 22—Limerock Valley Pomona Grange meets in South Thomaston.
 May 23—Old Fellow benefit play, "The Thief," at Rockland Theatre.
 May 23—Lincoln Baptist Association Basket Meeting at First Baptist church.
 May 23—Thomaston Farce comedy "Cate" for Baseball Association.
 May 23—Memorial Sunday exercises at Methodist church.
 May 28—Limerock Valley Pomona Grange meets with Wessawkeag Grange, South Thomaston.
 May 29—Annual parish meeting of the First Baptist church.
 June 14—Flag day.
 June 24—Knox County W. C. T. U. Convention in Rockland.

Peace Day.
 The city's rock crushing is to be let out to bid this year.

Tobias Smalley has joined the blacksmith force at the Bath Iron Works.

The Congregational prayer meeting will be held as usual tonight at 7.30.

The Past Grands of the Odd Fellows meet in Warren Wednesday evening.

Baptist workers are raising the annual church budget of \$3300 this week.

Stephen Brault has moved from the Donohue tenement on Park street to the South.

The high school Sophomores beat the upper classmen at baseball last week, 11 to 10. Some tickled.

King Solomon Temple Chapter has work on the Past and Most Excellent degrees Thursday night.

George W. Smith is driving a new 8-cylinder Cadillac, one of the most attractive automobiles in the city.

P. McAllister, manufacturer of the El Pato cigar, has issued a handy little baseball score card. Just the thing.

Manager Bevis of the Overland agency has sold an Overland touring car, Model 81, to John Storer of Washington.

Many thanks to the numerous friends who have sent us copies of the April 13 issue, Miss Burdette Strout was first in the list.

"Sabbath Observance" will be the subject under discussion at the W. C. T. U. meeting in Gallie Temple next Friday afternoon.

Rehearsals are progressing nicely for "The Thief," the Odd Fellow play which is to be presented May 25 in Rockland Theatre.

A plaster figure of "the original Bay Stater" attracts attention in E. H. Crie's window, it being part of Mr. Crie's Bay State paint exhibit.

The county commissioners are in session today. The appointment of a probation officer for Knox county is one of the important matters which will be considered.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church meets in the church parlors for work Wednesday afternoon. Picnic supper at 6. Important business meeting to be held at 4.30.

There will be a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Hospital with Mrs. W. M. Spear, 15 Beech street, Wednesday at 3.30, to make arrangements for a rummage sale.

Frank Fowles, who has been employed at the Thorndike hotel barber shop, leaves in a few days for Portland, where he will join the tonorial staff of the Congress Square hotel.

The block at the corner of Main and Myrtle streets, occupied by Simmons' fruit store is being repaired. Mrs. Elmer Kimball is working on Maple street is undergoing repairs.

Owl's Head Inn and the Dew Drop Inn at Thomaston were opened Saturday and will doubtless entertain many guests during the summer. The Crescent Beach House was already in commission.

The annual parish meeting of the First Baptist church takes place Thursday night. From 5 to 6 there will be a reception in the vestries, the committee in charge comprising Mrs. C. F. Simmons, Miss Jennie Blackington, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fuller, Mrs. Annie E. Bird, Mrs. Elmer S. Bird. Supper will be followed by a business session. All members of the church and parish are invited to attend the supper and business meeting.

The sale of seats for "Jack Straw," the play to be presented at the Empire tomorrow by Bowdoin College Masque and Gown, is now on and patrons can secure them in person or by telephone—35 and 50 cents. The performance is unique in the theatrical line by reason of the female characters being played by members of the opposite sex, the leading feminine part played by Ralph R. Mellon, who scored such a success as "Kitty" in last year's play. A Rockland boy, Richard S. Fuller, has the part of "Jack Straw."

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of Penobscot View Grange served a fine supper last Thursday evening, and after the regular meeting a program was presented. Rev. Howard Welch of Rockland gave an interesting talk on "Brute Strength and Moral Courage." The musical numbers included a piano solo by Florian Wheeler and Fred Andrews. A novelty sketch by Mrs. Rose Barrows and Mrs. F. M. Robinson was given before the regular program, in the presence of a few favored Patrons. The younger circle missed the presence of Miss Anna Quigley, who is in a hospital. Miss Quigley, though a member of Megunticook Grange of Camden, belongs to the Ladies' Orchestra at Glen Cove.

Early visitors to Oakland Park, of whom there are a considerable number, find that some interesting changes have been made since last season. The "Happy Day" cottage, which stood in front of the moving picture pavilion, has been demolished, and with the removal of the debris the general appearance of the Park is improved. The cottage was leased during the summer, but has never been an especially remunerative piece of property. The small building in the rear of the restaurant has been remodeled into a "look-out." In anticipation of the Alder-bush League season Park Supt. Trimm has had the ball ground rolled, and it is now in prime condition for the opening game, which is billed for next Friday afternoon. The large tulip bed is worth going all the way to Oakland to see.

Penobscot View Grange will have a supper consisting of dandelion greens, cold meats and salads, followed by an entertainment Friday evening, May 22. Price of both 25 cents.

Card of Thanks
 We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our many friends for their kindness during our bereavement in the death of our mother; also for the many floral tributes.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Daley, Mrs. Frances Harahan, Mrs. J. M. Spitz, Mrs. Jennie Averill.



Mr. Ralph Reid Melton, who plays the part of "Lady Wainwright" in the 3-act farce "Jack Straw," to be presented by the Bowdoin College Masque and Gown at The Empire tomorrow evening.

Aurora Lodge held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to confer the Master Mason degree upon C. S. Libby and Harold Robinson.

The annual meeting of the Maine State Nurses' Association will be held at Burnham Gymnasium, Portland, June 1st, at 2 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

Religious services were held at the church of the Salvation Army. It is planned to hold similar services on the fourth Sunday of each month, and any religious denomination is invited to take charge.

Don't get frightened if you happen to see a torpedo boat destroyer in the outer harbor next Thursday. The Wadsworth, launched at Bath last month, is coming over here for the first of her builder's trials, in preparation for the official tests which take place in June.

The Maine Law School team lost but one game in this county, that being Rockland's victory described in the preceding issue of this paper. It beat Vinalhaven 5 to 3, Thomaston 11 to 2, and Camden 13 to 11. It is only fair to add that its best pitcher was reserved for Thomaston.

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A forest fire in St. George last night furnished a brilliant illumination in the southern sky.

At Gallie Temple tonight the ladies will serve a dandelion green and baked bean supper at 5.30.

Lawrence Freshets of Richmond, Va., an expert watchmaker and engraver, has entered the employ of Clarence E. Daniels.

Knox Lodge visits St. George Lodge Saturday evening. Autos will leave the hall at 5.30 and 6. Work on the initiatory degree next Monday evening.

The Thursday Club met at the Copper Kettle, with Mrs. Philip Howard and Mrs. S. W. Gregory as hostesses. The prizes were won by Mrs. F. L. Weeks and Mrs. A. C. McLean.

The police seized 46 bottles of lager beer and a quart of whiskey at Morris Pollock's Saturday night. The hearing was postponed to next Monday on account of illness in Mr. Pollock's family.

In obedience to general orders from Department headquarters, Sunday, May 23, will be observed by the Grand Army and other orders as Memorial Sunday. The service will be at the Methodist church.

George E. Gross has a smart hen, which not only attended strictly to its duty on a setting of eggs, but laid one each day the two weeks she has been on the job. "Maybe Myrick Nash can beat that," says George.

Pure cussedness is the only way to define the work of the mean skunks who have been desecrating flower gardens about the city. Marshal Penfold promises to make an example of the first offender who is caught.

The fire alarm will strike two twos at 7 o'clock tomorrow night summoning the members of the department to the Sears hall, where action will be taken on the invitation to appear in the Memorial Day parade.

Edgar C. son of Mrs. Charles C. Kirkpatrick, died yesterday forenoon at his home on Pleasant street. Funeral services will be held at St. Bernard's church tomorrow at 9 a. m. Obituary mention will appear in Friday's issue.

George H. Tighe, a well known Civil War veteran, died last Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lucy Rowling, South Main street. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon. An obituary of the deceased will appear in our Friday issue.

Owners of Park street real estate situated between Main and Union street, have asked the city government to have that section of the highway improved. If anything is done this year it will probably be to lay paving, as there is lots of heavy teaming there.

Camden High and Rockland High play a postponed game at the Knox-Valley League, on the Broadway ground this afternoon. A victory will do much toward encouraging the home team in its new determination to try for the pennant. The game will be commenced at 3.30 o'clock.

The Thomaston high school team tackles an ambitious proposition tomorrow afternoon, when it plays South Portland High, in Thomaston. The game will begin at 2.30. The "Capers" have a strong team, as usual, and the game will afford an opportunity to see how our Knox county product compares with it this season.

Friday afternoon and evening there will be a convention of the Eastern Maine branch of the Woman's Missionary Society at the Congregational church, beginning at 3 o'clock. Women of the churches in Rockland and vicinity are urged to attend. Miss Ina Verrill, missionary to Turkey, and Miss Alice M. Kyle, editorial secretary of the Woman's Board, of Boston, will be the speakers. Circle supper will be served at the close of the afternoon meeting.

Edward Bishop, one of the three prisoners who escaped from the county jail on New Year's eve, was recaptured in this city Friday night by Deputy Sheriff Kallady and Turnkey Head. Bishop has been in Massachusetts since leaving durandville, but could not resist the temptation to come back here and see one of his old sweethearts. Artful policy will be backed at the same time, is serving a sentence in State Prison, but James Ryan, the third member of the trio, is still at large.

James Cook, editor of the Brunswick Record, strayed as far east as Rockland yesterday and exchanged fraternal greetings with The Courier-Gazette staff. For 13 years Mr. Cook has been engaged in the task of making the Record one of the best weekly papers in the State, and one of his pleasantest occupations for the next 12 months will be the booming of his fellow townsman, Edward V. Wheeler, for the gubernatorial nomination. Mr. Cook is an intense admirer of ex-Governor Cobb, and says that everywhere he hears much disappointment expressed that the latter is not to be a candidate for United States Senator. The Brunswick editor was down this way whooping her up a bit for Mr. Wheeler, and was not at all displeased to find that his candidate has some staunch supporters here already.

The handsome dinner set given away last night at Rockland Theatre as a Black Box premium was from the Davis Premium Co.'s big stock, and has been on exhibition in their window the past week.

BORN

Lermont—Elnahurst, L. I., May 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lermont, a daughter—Katherine Adele.
 Wood—Charlestown, Mass., May 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Wood, a daughter—Priscilla Emily.
 Perkins—Camden, May 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Perkins, a son—Frederick Parsons.
 Harra—South Hope, May 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harra, a son—Harry William.
 Carver—South Hope, May 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carver, a daughter—Dorothy Elizabeth.

MARRIED

Brady—Vincent—Rockland, May 17, by Miss Anne Day, assistant city clerk, Tony Brady and Annie Vincent.

DIED

Smith—Vinalhaven, May 12, Capt. George Smith, aged 62 years.
 Kirkpatrick—Rockland, May 17, Edgar Thomas Kirkpatrick, aged 16 years, 5 months, 23 days.
 Fife—Rockland, May 14, George H. Tighe, aged 52 years, 2 months, 6 days.
 Johnson—St. George, May 11, Anna L. (Johnson), wife of Charles Johnson, aged 61 years, 6 months, 9 days.
 Doran—Rockland, May 10, Elizabeth F. (Shibboleth), widow of Andrew Doran, aged 80 years, 1 month.

No More Trading Stamps at Hewett's

--AFTER JUNE 1st--

Here in brief are the reasons why we shall discontinue giving Trading Stamps after June 1st.

- They tend to demoralize the one-price system, which is the only modern and honest way of selling goods.
- They are a heavy burden and expense upon the store that gives them—an expense that eventually must be met by increasing prices.
- They force overbuying—which is bad for both the patron and the store.
- They are universally discountenanced by leading economists and have been prohibited by law in hosts of cities.

There are other reasons, equally logical and forceful, but these few will explain the stand we have taken in regard to the trading stamp question.

Our customers who have partly filled books of stamps may purchase at cost sufficient stamps to fill them. No stamps will be issued after June 1st. All books should be redeemed before August 1st.

W. C. Hewett & Co.

RANG FALSE ALARM

Trouble Ahead for Two Young Men Who Were Violating the Laws Sunday Night.

Two young men, imbued with a spirit of malicious mischief, were cutting up various dives in the residential section of Ward 3 Sunday night. About 9.30 they rang an alarm from box 43, near the McLean Building, and doubtless fell repaid by the promptness with which the department and a large crowd of people responded. One of the young men was seen running away from the scene, and his identity is suspected. He wore a light overcoat and a light cap or hat. The matter is being investigated, and the suspected party will be given a chance to prove an alibi. It requires neither brains nor courage to ring a false alarm, but it is a serious offense, recognized as follows by a city ordinance:

"Sec't. 1. No person shall ring the fire alarm telegraph from any of the established boxes without a knowledge of the existence of a fire, or reason to believe that one exists and that it is necessary to call out the fire department of the city to extinguish it."

"Sec't. 2. Any person, intentionally violating Section 1 of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of fifty dollars to be recovered by an action of debt or on complaint before the police court of the city of Rockland."

The same parties who pulled in the false alarm are doubtless the ones who raided tulip beds and scattered the flowers along Middle street.

OTHER CLASSIFIED ADS ON PAGE 8.

WILL BUY OR RENT FARM—With or without stock. About fifty acres, within five miles of Rockland, a real home. Particulars by letter or inquire at THIS PAPER, Box 18.

WANTED—Position by young lady as stenographer in Rockland or a real home. Of Commercial College. Apply to THIS OFFICE.

DRESS MAKING—Alterations, or will go out by the day. Prices reasonable. MRS. VESTA A. MILLS, 35 McClelland St. Tel. 367-5.

WE have a new grocery proposition, if adopted will make you the leading grocer in your town. No experience necessary. Write for particulars. THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO. The largest grocery company in the world. Dept. A. E. Box 39, New York City.

FOR SALE—Houses, all prices, and in all parts of the city. For sale on easy terms. Also farms, lots and seashore property. F. M. SHAW, 48 Middle street. Telephone 125-3.

TO LET—Several medium priced houses and tenements. Apply to F. M. SHAW, 48 Middle street. Telephone 125-3.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Order your Strawberry Plants without delay. Gibson, Pocumtuck and Dunlap 50c per 100. Price very low. MRS. L. B. CHANDLER, Rockville, Maine.

FOR SALE—Underwood No. 5 Typewriter in the best of condition. Very little used. Will sell reasonably. 20 UNION STREET, Camden, Maine.

FOR SALE 2 Bread Delivery Carts; would make good milk carts; also 2 seat light grocery, Express Wagon, 1 Underwood Typewriter. Going to adopt automobile delivery and will sell at a trade. RISING & ANDERSON, 401.

FOR SALE—House of six finished rooms, good cellar, running water in house, shed, 100x100, two acres blueberries, fruit and shade trees. Pleasantly situated by small lake, bathing, fishing, pond lilies, mail at door (or F. D. 125), at ten o'clock in the forenoon. MRS. L. B. CHANDLER, Rockville, Maine.

FOR SALE—A second-hand grocery wagon. Telephone 229. F. O. HASKELL.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine, in Bankruptcy. In the matter of CHAS. F. WINCHENBACH. Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1914, the said Chas. F. Winchenbach was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned, No. 1 Limerock St., in said Rockland on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

May 15, 1915. RODNEY L. THOMPSON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Warship For Memorial Day

Secretary Daniels Says Rockland Will Have One—Now What About Entertaining the Men?

That Rockland will have a warship to co-operate in its elaborate Memorial Day observance was practically made certain Saturday by a telegram received by Congressman McGillicuddy from the Secretary of the Navy.

About the only thing which could prevent that desirable feature would be the sudden outbreak of war between the United States and Germany, a situation which is not likely to occur.

When the Sons of Veterans, who have charge of the Memorial Day observance in this city, began their campaign for a warship they received hearty assistance from Congressman McGillicuddy, whose influence is now lessened by his accession to the Ways and Means committee. Few live wires to make the necessary provision. Rockland is said to have a black eye with the Navy Department. Now here's just the opportunity to re-establish ourselves in its good graces.

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ties regarding ship to participate in Decoration Day exercises. He has been requested to co-operate to fullest practicable extent. Josephus Daniels.

The presence of a warship means that there will be 300 or 400 sailors in the Memorial Day parade, and nothing could be more inspiring at a time when the world is thrilled with the deeds of the soldier and sailor.

The ship's officers will be entertained by the Sons of Veterans and Naval Reserves. Meantime it would seem fitting that some arrangement should be made to provide entertainment for the sailors. The pulmotor might be used on the dying Chamber of Commerce, but better still would be a concerted effort on the part of a few live wires to make the necessary provision. Rockland is said to have a black eye with the Navy Department. Now here's just the opportunity to re-establish ourselves in its good graces.

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The Odd Fellow degree team goes to Tenants' Harbor Saturday night to confer the third degree on three candidates.

Cars for all points will leave Empire Theatre tomorrow evening after the play "Jack Straw," by the Bowdoin College Masque and Gown.

"You neglected to mention the increased State tax, when you were telling about the difficulty of reducing Rockland's tax rate," says Assessor Sanborn. "As a matter of fact the State tax is \$3000 more than it was last year."

Fifty cents back on every dollar spent is what customers get under the Davis Premiums plan. You can almost set up housekeeping from their stock, so large is the assortment carried. Davis Premiums Co., opposite Fuller-Cobb's.



The new hats are on our hands—it's time they were on your head.

A straw, a felt, a derby, a loud cap! We'll show you all that's in style this spring and leave the judgment to your head.

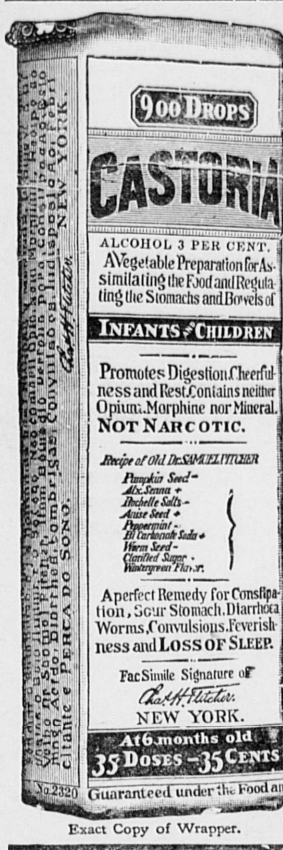
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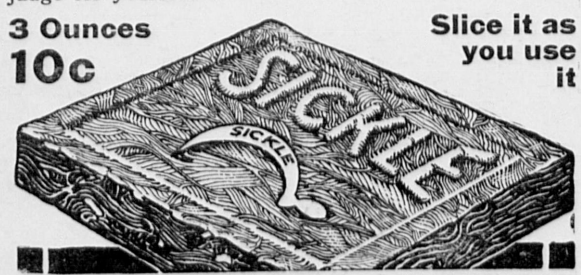


Why Pay Extra for Dried-Up Tobacco?

That's what you do when you buy chopped-up tobacco in tins, bags or foil. Real tobacco flavor depends upon the leaf being preserved in its natural state, possible only by pressing the leaves into plug form and keeping it in by covering it with a natural leaf wrapper. The natural flavor and strength of tobacco escape when cut or granulated.

Take a Plug of Sickle that is even thoroughly dried out so that when you whittle it off it crumbles into dust, but it will burn and smoke smooth and cool as it has all of its original tobacco flavor preserved, unevaporated in Plug Form.

Whittling a pipeful is little trouble, amply repaid in both quality and quantity. Try this experiment and judge for yourself.

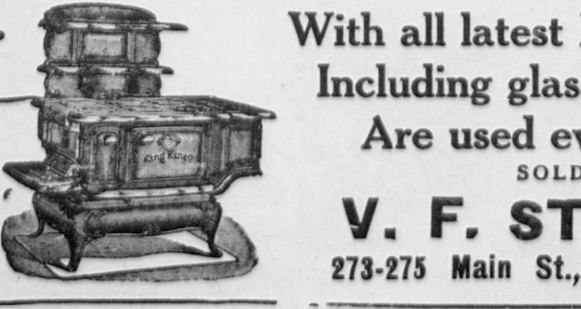


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DEMOCRATIC INCOME TAX

Further Illustration of Failure To Handle Important Public Matters.

Washington, D. C., May 15.—Because of imperfections in the income tax law, numerous amendments will be recommended to the next Congress by the Treasury Department.

Official experts are quietly at work on this statute, preparing a report on the crudities it contains and outlining proper legislative action to correct them. The law is honeycombed with errors.

A striking illustration of this thread of weakness that runs through the whole gamut of Democratic legislation occurs in one of the most vital provisions of the income tax law. It relates to deductions that shall be allowed in computing gross income—a basic element in this system of taxation.

Paragraph B of the law states that "in computing income for the purpose of the normal tax there shall be allowed as deductions 'among other things' losses, what is the meaning of the word 'in trade'?" The courts must decide.

The phrase is capable of an infinite variety of interpretations. As construed by the Treasury Department, deductions from gross income for losses "in trade" can be made only in connection with "that which occupies and engages the time, attention, and labor of the taxpayer for the purpose of livelihood, profit or improvement; that which is his personal concern or interest, employment, occupation, but it is not necessary that it should be his sole occupation or employment."

From every part of the country bitter complaints have been made against this ruling, and the question is to be taken to the courts for final adjudication. Whether the ruling is right or wrong, it is the uncertainty of the statute that reflects upon the intelligence of the political party responsible for it.

Nothing but heedlessness could have permitted it. The tax payer bears the burden of the blunder, for it is a maxim in governmental affairs that every doubt in a law is resolved in favor of the government by the administrative officers.

Errors in the income tax law are too numerous to mention in detail. Witness the fact that in the first few weeks of its operation thousands of applications for refund were made. One of these has just been allowed, and is a fine example of the law's uncertainty.

The Department refunded to one man who had paid \$500 as income tax all but \$12 of that amount. He had had the help of a revenue officer in making his return, yet so indefinite was the law that for fear of violation he paid the government \$500 instead of \$12.

Examination of the Department's decisions on the income tax law shows a mass of contradictory rulings. Over and over again opinions were reversed, and because the terms of the law did not admit of clear interpretation.

Every day additional evidence is found that adds to the long list of legislative blunders committed by the Democratic administration. Future Congresses and the courts must correct the mistakes, and meanwhile the people must pay for them.

Infection in the Air
Medical authorities agree that colds are infectious. In some cases children with colds are barred from schools. Spring's changing weather brings many colds. The quickest and safe way to stop colds, coughs and croup is to give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. F. M. White & Co., Vinahaven.—adv.

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How to Beautify the Hair
A Simple and Inexpensive Home Method
The hair is like a flower—a little care and proper nourishment does wonders. Just a plant without air and water withers and dies, so will the hair go if not given proper nourishment. The scalp must be perfectly healthy and free from dandruff as the scalp is to the hair what good soil is to plants and flowers.
If your hair is not pretty; if it is losing color, too dry, matted, falling out, or if the scalp itches and burns, you can easily overcome all of these conditions by using Parisian Sage which supplies every hair need. It soaks right into the hair roots, stimulating them and furnishing the nourishment that is needed for the hair to grow not only long and heavy, but fluffy, soft, lustrous and gloriously radiant.
You can get a bottle of this inexpensive, yet delightful and helpful hair tonic from William H. Kittredge or any drug counter. Improvement begins with the very first application. Besides stopping the scalp irritation it removes every bit of dandruff. The use of this unequalled tonic will surely give your hair new life and beauty. Sold and guaranteed in Thomaston, Me., by G. I. Robinson Drug Co.

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Serious illness often results from lingering coughs and colds. The hacking and coughing and disturbed sleep rack a child's body and the poisons weaken the system so that disease cannot be thrown off. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has eased coughs, colds and croup for three generations; safe to use and quick to act. There is no better medicine for croup, coughs and colds. F. M. White & Co., Vinahaven.—adv.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

R. T. & C. STREET RAILWAY TIME TABLE

Leave Camden

For Rockland, Thomaston and Warren at 6.00 a. m., 7.00 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 9.00 p. m. inclusive.

For Rockland and Thomaston at 8.30 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 9.30 p. m. and 10.00 p. m. inclusive.

For Rockport and Car Barn at 10.30 p. m. and 11.00 p. m.

Leave Rockport

For Rockland, Thomaston and Warren at 6.07 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 9.07 p. m. inclusive.

For Thomaston and Rockland at 8.37 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 10.07 p. m. inclusive.

For Car Barn at 10.37 p. m. and 11.07 p. m.

Leave Rockland

For Thomaston at 5.17, 5.45, 6.35, 7.05 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until 10.35 p. m. inclusive.

For Thomaston and Warren at 5.45 a. m., 6.35 a. m., 7.00 a. m., 7.30 a. m., and every hour and half hour thereafter until 10.00 p. m. inclusive.

For Rockland and Car Barn at 10.30 p. m. and 11.00 p. m.

Leave Rockland

For Camden at 6.10 a. m., 7.30 a. m., 7.50 a. m., 8.20 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until 10.20 p. m. inclusive.

For Car Barn at 10.50 p. m. and 11.20 p. m.

Leave Rockport

For Camden at 5.45 a. m., 6.45 a. m., 7.45 a. m., 8.20 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 10.50 p. m. inclusive.

R. T. & C. Street Railway.
By William T. Cobb, President.

MR. DICKEY'S CANDIDACY
Belfast "Booster" Endorsed by A. E. Clark Camp for Junior Vice Commander.

A resolution was adopted at a recent meeting of the A. E. Clark Camp, Sons of Veterans, at Belfast, placing in nomination the name of Orrin J. Dickey of that city as a candidate for the office of junior vice commander of the Maine Division, at the convention to be held in Bangor early next month.

Dickey is well known throughout the State, through his connection with the Sons of Veterans circles. He has been on the staff of many of the division commanders, and served as both junior and senior vice division commander. He has been largely instrumental in making A. E. Clark Camp, Sons of Veterans, use all their efforts in their power for the election of Past Commander Orrin J. Dickey of A. E. Clark Camp, Sons of Veterans, of Belfast, for the office of junior vice commander of the Maine Division.

Dickey, having been a prominent and most active worker in the Division of Maine, should be awarded by the members of the Division with this honor.

ROCKLAND BOWLERS WON
Rockland candlepin artists put up a classy performance at Kennedy's alleys Friday night, defeating a Camden team 3-0, or if the visitors slumped badly in the first string, but after getting the hang of the alley came back strongly and won the last string. Phillips was high line for the home team, while Hopkins led for the visitors. The score:

Rockland
Cottrell 96 96 81-273
Southard 81 92 84-257
Peters 90 91 82-263
Shaaw 109 88 78-275
Phillips 81 102 95-278

Camden
Fitzgerald 69 86 96-251
Reynolds 70 90 81-241
Hopkins 95 81-255
Poster 76 83 85-244
Barker 69 94 77-240

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We have had so many inquiries lately regarding Eczema and other skin diseases, that we are glad to make our answer public. After careful investigation we have found that a simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen, as compounded in D. D. Prescription, can be relied upon. We would not make this statement to our patrons, friends and neighbors unless we were sure of it—and Eczema remedies sold, we ourselves hesitatingly recommend D. D. Prescription. Drop into our store today, just to talk over the merits of this wonderful Prescription.

HILLS DRUG COMPANY

MRS. LINDLEY M. STAPLES

Sketch of Prominent Washington Lady, Who Died This Month.

This village and entire surrounding community was saddened, Sunday, May 2, by the death of Annie, wife of Hon. L. M. Staples. Mrs. Staples had been an invalid for a number of years, and her death was not unexpected, but as always, it came with a shock.

Mrs. Staples was the only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfred K. Burkett of Appleton. She came to this village, a bride, about 30 years ago, and her presence among us has been like a ray of sunshine. To know her was to love her and they who knew her best loved her best. Soon after her marriage she opened a millinery store in this place, where, combining her rare taste with wise and judicious business ability, she built up a large trade, drawing customers from all the surrounding towns. About 10 years ago, when at the height of business prosperity, her health failed and she was obliged to dispose of her business and withdraw, in a measure, from society. Although an invalid she was still busy. She did not sit down to useless weeping, but gathered the brightness and beauty from the paths of life in which she was obliged to walk. She took an active interest in her husband's large law business and her advice and judgment were keen and sound.

Her husband's brilliant political success was a source of great satisfaction and enjoyment to her. So well informed was she, on all political questions, that her arguments were not easily put aside. During his first and second terms as senator she was able to join him in Augusta for a few weeks each year. She was not strong enough to bear the burdens of the large social functions, but displayed her ability as a social leader by the brilliancy of the smaller gatherings which are so trying to a less experienced hostess.

Mrs. Staples was a constant reader. Her mind was stored with gems from our best literature, and her fund of repartee was unsurpassed. Her heart and purse were ever open in sympathy and aid for the sorrowing and needy around her. How many have been largely dependent upon her bounty, none knew but herself. Often was the word of rebuke heard from her lips for an unkind or uncharitable remark dropped by someone in her presence. "She judged not at all." Charity and love were alike to her. Mrs. Staples was a "shut-in" for a number of years, but her personality could not be kept behind closed doors, but reached out and around in ever widening circles in influences which will long be felt and remembered. She was a poetess of no mean order, but used her talent for a source of amusement rather than honor. As an artist, she had no reason to be ashamed of her productions.

Mrs. Staples was made a member of the order of Eastern Star in Orient chapter, Union. Later, when Fon du Lac chapter was constituted, she obtained her demit from Orient and joined her home chapter, which assembled in a body at her funeral to show their love and respect for their departed sister. The floral tributes spoke eloquently of the love and respect in which Mrs. Staples was held by her relatives and friends. Pillows, wreaths, baskets and masses of cut flowers covered the casket, stands, and every available place. Among all these beautiful flowers was a bright red rose resting upon the breast of the sleeper; placed there by the hand of her sorrowful husband, who knew and remembered her love for the beautiful crimson.

Mr. Russell, the officiating clergyman, comforted the mourning friends by prayer, touching passages of scripture and eloquent remarks.

The musical selections were rendered by Mrs. Blanch Johnston, Miss Eugenia Meserve, Mr. Mears and Mr. Johnston, with Mrs. Grinnell at the piano, in such a manner as made the service of song fully appreciated. The bearers were Barnard Mears, Dr. Pierpont, J. L. Burns and F. C. Rockwell, all intimate friends of the deceased. The funeral arrangements were under the care and direction of Mr. B. K. Ware, the local undertaker, and were conducted with the solemnity and dignity fitting to the occasion.

Mrs. Staples leaves to mourn her death, a husband, who will miss her as none other will; a step son, W. M. Staples, to whom she was closely attached and who will sincerely mourn her loss; an only brother, Mr. Frank Burkett, between whom and herself existed tenderest ties of love; a niece, Miss Martha Burkett, who loved and was loved by "Aunt Annie"; and a host of loving relatives and friends who will not forget the friend they have just lost.

As I look upon what remained to us of our friend, lying upon her beautiful white couch, surrounded by lovely flowers, and about to be carried from her beautiful home that she loved so well, to rest among her kindred and friends, I recalled the long years of suffering so patiently borne and thought, "Truly she sleeps well and the dignity of death sets well upon her." I trust that we who are left here a little longer will so order our lives that in the great hereafter we shall again find and know our friend who has just passed over. And an all wise Father will make known to us the mysteries of life and death.

Mrs. S. C. Pierpont.
—From the Opinion.

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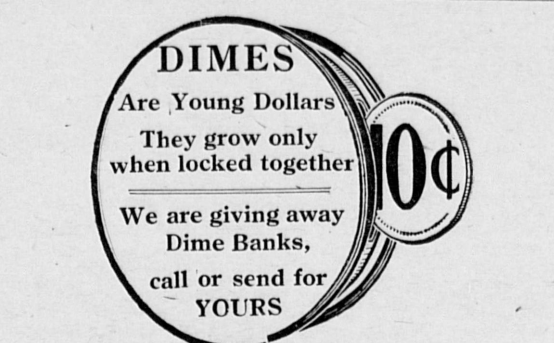
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IMPROVING THE SARDINE
Maine Cannerymen Have Bettered Their Product Since They Began to Compete on the Basis of Quality.

Washington, D. C., May 15.—The pack of American sardines during the past season was improved 33 per cent in quality, according to the food specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture who have been conducting an experimental laboratory at Eastport, Maine, during the past two packing seasons.

This has been brought about by the fact that the demonstrators in the laboratory have shown the Maine cannerymen the advantage of improved methods and of striving to make a quality sardine to meet the demand for a better class of goods which the war's interference with imports has largely increased. Before the laboratory was established the Maine packers were competing bitterly amongst themselves in an effort to produce a can of goods that could be sold at some profit for the low prices then offered by the jobbers and the wholesalers. Under such conditions the packing establishments naturally had a tendency to work for speed rather than quality in packing.

Under the old form of competition some of the packers paid very little attention to the character or size of the fish and some at times packed alewives, silver hake and smelts, as well as the small herring, which is the American sardine. They also frequently packed what were known as "feedy" fish. These were fish that had fed plentifully on a microscopic crustacean and small shrimp. When the fish were packed with their bodies full of this feed, changes in the food had a tendency to soften the flesh of the fish with the result that they broke before placing them in the cans. After the packers began to compete on a quality rather than a cost basis a simple way of doing away with "feedy" fish was employed. All that is necessary is to leave the sardines for a short time in the weirs in which they are caught, until they can digest the shrimp and small crustaceans.

Another tendency under the former hurried methods of packing the fish was to over-salt them or to leave them in the salt water too long, which brought them from the weirs. In other cases the fish were mutilated by bad handling or kept so long before cooking that they lost much of their flavor. Excessive salting also destroyed the delicate flavor of the fish and made them "salt fish" rather than oil-canned fish. Under the new methods the boats are equipped with better tanks and care is being taken to get the fish quickly to the packers and into the steam cooker or fryer in good condition.

In preparing the fish for the cans, especially in the case of small fish, there was a tendency because of the haste, to pull their heads off with fingers instead of cutting them properly with shears. This pulling or "snipping" as it is called, frequently left portions of the hard gills of the fish in the can and these gills frequently separated from the fish, leaving inedible portions in the oil and giving it an undesirable look. Under the new competition in quality, fish are being brought to the packing houses in much better conditions and are being handled there much more carefully so as to get them into the cans in as nearly perfect condition as possible.

The most marked improvement, however, has been the interest the packers have taken in cleaning up their factories especially in seeing that the flakes on which the fish are dried, the steam cookers, and the other machinery for handling and canning, are kept in good condition.

Under the old system not only the condition of the floors but of the tables it was frequently disregarded. This year practically every factory in Maine has cleaned its floors and put the tables and other working equipment in such shape that a clean product can be produced.

The factories are also prohibiting the throwing around of refuse and requiring the cleaning up of floors and other parts of the factory as rapidly as they are soiled. In the case of the flakes or wire-mesh frames on which the fish are dried and then sent into the steam room, the greater attention to cleanliness has had a marked effect on the appearance of the canned product.

Under the old system when these flakes were not always cleaned after each run, parts of the cooked fish clung to the meshes. It was found that these fragments of fish and the condition of the flakes made it practically impossible to produce a can of sardines in clear, clean oil, as the frag-

ments on the flakes would stick to the new fish and color the oil in the can. During the last season practically all of the packers paid marked attention to these matters with the result that this year's product in quality or fish and oil is held by experts and by the trade to be far superior to the previous runs.

"TIZ" EASES TIRED, SORE, SWOLLEN FEET
Nothing Like "TIZ" for Aching, Swollen, Calloused Feet and Corns —"TIZ" Is Glorious.

"My feet just ache for 'TIZ'"

Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "TIZ" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet? "TIZ" makes your feet glow with comfort; takes down swellings and draws the soreness and misery right out of feet that chafe, smart and burn. "TIZ" instantly stops pain in corns, callouses and bunions. "TIZ" is glorious for tired, aching, sore feet. No more shoe tightness—no more foot torture.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA
LIME-LOSS in Tuberculosis
In the Journal of the American Medical Association (January 17, 1914) was the following:
"It has been many times stated that in tuberculosis or in the pre-tuberculous stage an increased amount of calcium (lime) is lost, both in the urine and feces. In fact, a demineralization has been thought to be a forerunner of the disease."
"Fletcher's Castoria" is a powerful purgative and laxative, and is a powerful remedy for the treatment of this disease may be due, in part, to the fact that it contains a lime salt so combined with other valuable ingredients as to be easily assimilated.
Always we have urged users of Fletcher's Castoria to attend strictly to matters of food.
In addition to rest and proper diet, some effective remedial agent seems to be needed, and in numerous cases of apparent recovery from tuberculosis and kindred throat and bronchial affections Fletcher's Castoria has supplied this need.
It does not contain opiates, narcotics or habit-forming drugs, so it is safe to try. Your druggist has it or will order it, or you can get it from us direct.
Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

WATCH OUT FOR THE OPENING OF THE NEW GROCERY AT ROCKPORT EVERYTHING NEW

A LOAF OF CAKE given free
with every 10 cent Loaf of
Nissen's Butter Krust Bread

Ralph T. Spear

THOMASTON
Misses Lucy and Josephine Mitchell are visiting relatives in Boston and vicinity.

William Felt of Pawtucket, R. I., was in town last week, called here by the death of his mother.

Rehearsals for the comedy "Caste" are underway, and the play will be presented Friday evening, May 28 in Watts hall, for the benefit of the Thomaston Local Baseball Association.

Miss Hilda George, who has been at home for a week, left Monday for Boston.

Ross Wilson of Boston is at home for a few weeks.

E. S. Stearns left Monday afternoon for Boston for a week.

Mrs. Wilbur Vose and Miss Ethel Vose entertained the Monday Club at their home on Hyler street, Monday evening.

South Portland High will play the Thomaston High on the home grounds Wednesday afternoon, May 19.

Miss Grace Greenleaf is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Lineken, Dunn street.

Mrs. A. F. Rice, who has been spending the winter in New York, arrived home Friday night for the summer.

Mrs. H. B. Hutchins' Sunday school class held a ten cent party Friday evening in the vestry of the Baptist church.

Burnham Hyler left Monday for Vinalhaven where he will be employed a few weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker have returned from a visit in Boston.

Mrs. Leander Whitmore left Saturday morning for Boston, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Robert Creighton and Donald George motored through from Brunswick Saturday, returning to Bowdoin College Sunday.

Miss Eda Young left Monday for Lee, Mass., where she will be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Gross for two weeks.

Mrs. Charles A. Pierce came over from Camden Thursday and called on relatives and friends.

The employees of the coat department of the J. B. Pearson Co. gave a farewell reception to Reuben Cohen and David Lewis Friday evening in the V. O. Masters hall. The evening was much enjoyed by selections from a victrola and dancing with music by Clark and Kirkpatrick. Mr. Cohen was presented with a gold fountain pen and Mr. Lewis a toilet case. Refreshments were served. Mr. Cohen and Mr. Lewis with their families soon leave for London, England.

The T. H. S. ball team went to Vinalhaven Saturday afternoon and defeated V. H. S. in a score of 7 to 6. So far the Thomaston team has played three games in the Knox-Waldo league, winning each game. Next Saturday they play in Rockland.

C. A. Creighton is on his annual vacation trip to Europe, leaving Saturday.

Fred K. Foyler of Waldoboro was a guest of friends in town a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Feehan left Saturday afternoon for California, where they will be guests of their daughter, Mrs. P. J. Ramos, for a few weeks. Mr. Feehan has had a furlough of three months from his duties as overseer and salesman for the State Prison and is going on this, his first long trip, in many years.

The members of the Methodist church and parish are invited to attend the reception in honor of Rev. Charles Kinney and wife, in the vestry, Friday, May 21, at 8 o'clock.

Cars for all points will leave Empire Theatre tomorrow evening after the play "Jack Straw," by the Bowdoin College Masque and Gown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohen and family and Mr. and Mrs. D. Lewis were entertained Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watts. A pleasant evening was spent, in which refreshments were served.

The Misses Myra and Ida Blunt of Lawrence, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blunt for a few days last week.

Almost everybody is talking about "Caste," the play to be given May 28 for the Thomaston Local Baseball Association. In the cast are: "Esther Eccles, Miss Marion Goodale; "Dolly Eccles," Miss Dorothy Whitney; "Mrs. F. A. Roy," Miss Mildred Kirkpatrick; "George D'Alroy," Harrison MacAlman; "Sam Gerridge," Percy Merrifield; "Eccles," Fred Burnham; "Capt. Havetree," Mr. Henry. The play will be staged by Fred Havetree, Kirkpatrick, and George D'Alroy.

The Woman's Socialist Club met Thursday with Mrs. C. T. Sawyer, and a larger amount of work than usual was accomplished. A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Rufus Libby, Main street, near the prison.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church will meet at the vestry Wednesday afternoon. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

Charles Starrett visited friends in Friendship Sunday.

Don't forget the citizens' meeting Wednesday evening in this revival of Memorial Day and a hearty support and enthusiasm is needed to be shown by every citizen of this town. Come and get some enthusiasm and give your suggestions. It will be an interesting meeting, not long, but inspiring, and necessary. Watts hall this Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Card of Thanks
We wish to express heartfelt thanks for many acts of kindness shown to us in our bereavement, and especially to the Knights of Pythias, Grand Army and Owl Club for assistance at the funeral.

Mrs. Lucy Rowling, Frank Tighe.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching almost drives you mad. For quick relief, Doan's Ointment is well recommended. 50c at all stores.

NOTICE

Sealed bids for rebuilding the Spruce Head bridge will be received by the Selectmen of the Town of South Thomaston until May 25, 1915. Specifications furnished upon application to Selectmen. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. No bids received after 2 p. m. May 25.

ROCKPORT
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ireland have returned to their home in Mattawamkeag, after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ireland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. John Erickson.

Miss Florence Corthell is employed in the postoffice in place of Miss Ella Collins, who has recently resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews of Seabrook were guests at Sherman Wood's Saturday.

Ms. O. P. Shepherd returned last week from Philadelphia, where she has been spending the winter, and is occupying her home on Commercial street. Enroute she visited friends in Boston and Portland.

The regular meeting of Harbor Light Chapter, O. E. S., will be held tonight. Picnic supper will be served at 6.30. Work is expected.

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men who were soliciting funds for electric street lighting about the village that the necessary amount is assured, and work will begin soon wiring the poles which are set from Mrs. L. E. Wright's residence to James Robinson's at Malcolm's corner.

Mrs. William Teague observed the anniversary of her birth May 17th. She was remembered by her many friends.

Arbor Day was set apart here as Clean Up Day. Everything was swept and garnished, even to the village bridge. Painters were busy and wrought a transformation on the bridges by painting the railing green which adds much to its appearance.

Cars for all points will leave Empire Theatre tomorrow evening after the play "Jack Straw," by the Bowdoin College Masque and Gown.

About 40 members of Warren Lodge of Odd Fellows accompanied the degree staff to Appleton Saturday evening.

J. D. Mitchell and son Robert were Saturday guests at A. T. Norwood's. They went to Union Saturday, returning to Friendship Sunday night.

The circle of the Baptist church will meet Wednesday and Friday at the church parlors. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams are in town from Keene, N. H., the guests of relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peabody are entertaining them.

Mrs. Lucy Haskell went to Camden Saturday where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. French.

The following, clipped from the Biddeford Record, will be of interest to Warren readers from the fact that Mrs. Fogg was Miss Wilhelmina Spear of Warren: "Dr. John S. Fogg is receiving the congratulations and hearty congratulations of his hosts of friends on account of an addition to his family. Mrs. Fogg giving birth to a splendid boy at the Trull hospital Friday morning. The mother and child are both reported to be doing finely. The Fogs were married in Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 3, 1914, and since coming to Biddeford Mrs. Fogg, who is a young woman of engaging personality and an accomplished musician, has made large numbers of admiring friends, being prominent in the Jefferson street Baptist church, where she is one of the most active and valued workers. The little fellow has been named John Smith Fogg, Jr., the family name going back to Capt. John Smith, a son-in-law of Rebecca Emery Chapter, daughters of the Revolution was named.

VINALHAVEN
Miss Lella Clark of Thomaston was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Golsen and daughter, Mrs. Vivian Drew, were in Rockland Thursday.

Mertie Roberts is at Dr. Silsby's in Rockland for treatment.

Miss V. Carlin of Rockland, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. F. Russell, returned home Wednesday.

There will be a circle supper at Union church vestry Thursday at 5.30 followed by a social hour and entertainment.

The High School Orchestra met Wednesday evening at the home of Walker Field.

The Kodak Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. George Grey.

Lafayette Carver Post, G. A. R., Gettysburg Camp, S. of V., Ladies of the G. A. R., and Lafayette Carver Relief Corps will attend church Memorial Sunday, May 23.

Miss Mildred Kirkpatrick of Thomaston was in town Saturday.

Don't forget the band concert and ball at Memorial hall tonight.

Vivian Drew has purchased the Jameson house on High street and George Wallace the Jameson house on Mountain street.

Flags were at half-mast on the vessels in the harbor Sunday, out of respect for Capt. George Smith, who died at his home on Lane's Island Wednesday evening, aged 62 years. Although a sufferer from Bright's disease for many years he was devoted to his bed at the last but a short time. He was the son of the late John and Fannie (Young) Smith, and was born at Matineus, Capt. Smith married Evelyn L. Ames of Matineus 39 years ago, by whom he is survived; also one son, Ira, and daughter Fanny of this town, and daughter Mrs. Harry Look of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Wilmer Ames, and brother Hiram of Matineus. Deceased was a member of Star of Hope Lodge, I. O. O. F. He began a seafaring life at the age of 9 and became a master mariner of "Young Chief" when only 18 years old. The largest vessel he commanded was the "Ben. Smith," 100 tons, built for him at Essex, Mass.

Capt. Smith was kind and indulgent to his family; a smart, enterprising man, very successful in business, and I. W. Field, agent for the Mother greenhouses, is prepared to fill orders for flowers for Memorial Day. Get your orders in early to obtain good results.—adv.

EVERYTHING IN FOOTWEAR

Boston SHOE STORE

Women's Gun Metal

Rubber Sole Oxfords

\$2.00

Men's Gun Metal

Rubber Sole Bals.

\$2.75

SNEAKERS

39c

Tennis Shoes

white rubber sole, leather insole, worth \$1.25

98c

MEN'S

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES

\$3.00 to \$3.50

Boston Shoe Store

278 MAIN ST. Between Park and Myrtle

gave employment to many. He will be greatly missed by a host of friends. Funeral services were held at his late home Sunday afternoon, Rev. William Maywood of Union church officiating. The many beautiful floral tokens bore testimony of love and respect. Interment at Ocean View cemetery. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Those who came from Matineus to attend the services are Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Ames, Capt. and Mrs. Hiram Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Weston G. Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Ames, Mrs. Fred Philbrook, Mrs. Edgar Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. George Ames, Elmer and Harold Ames.

Pleasant River Grange will hold another of its popular dances Wednesday evening, May 19, ice cream and cake will be served. Music from North Haven.

MILLINERY

Owing to the inclemency of the Weather
Bills Must be Paid; Goods Must be Sold

EVERY HAT in the STORE will be SOLD AT A GREAT REDUCTION

Give me a Call Before Going Elsewhere.
I feel that I can Please You.

Mrs. M. A. Johnson, 10 Limerock St.

FURNITURE, RUGS, CARPETS, DRAPERIES, BEDDING, STOVES, REFRIGERATORS, BABY CARRIAGES, HAMMOCKS, HOUSE FURNISINGS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF THE

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Thrown on the Market at a Great Sacrifice

A change in our business compels us to close out our present stock within the Next Thirty Days, *Regardless of Cost*

Monday, May 24 This Great Sale Begins Monday, May 24

CONTINUES TWO WEEKS

We are after a *New Record in Prices* and want Every House-keeper in Knox County to visit us. *Everyone Made Happy!*

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Monday, May 24

Regular \$3.00
Woven Wire Springs,
heavy fabric, strong supports, all sizes at

\$1.95

Tuesday, May 25

Regular \$3.50
Soft Top Mattresses
best quality art ticking, well made, all sizes, at

\$2.35

Wednesday, May 26

Tapestry Art Squares
9 x 12, a good heavy rug in pretty patterns

\$8.50

Thursday, May 27

Quar. Oak Dining Chair
French legs, genuine leather slip seat, at

\$1.95

Friday, May 28

Round Oak Dining Table
regular \$11 value, 42 in. top, heavy turned pedestal, at

\$7.75

Saturday, May 29

Reg. \$16.50 Oak Buffet
42 in. top,

In Social Circles

Mrs. Charles M. Sullivan of Chelsea, Mass., is in the city for a few days, the guest of Mrs. Israel Snow, Mechanic street.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Foss go to Boston today, where the doctor will attend the triennial meeting of the Harvard Medical Alumni Association. The program will include an inspection of the laboratory and buildings of the Harvard Medical School, and clinics at the hospitals connected with the school. Mrs. Foss will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Taber, E. D. Spear and F. W. Fuller made a week-end visit to Portland, for the purpose of accompanying H. N. McDougal on a trip home with his automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ginn of Portland are visiting Mrs. Ginn's brother, Leonard Blackington, at The Meadows.

F. Arthur Hahn is confined to his home on Elm street with sickness.

Mrs. Edith Harriman and Mrs. Raymond Cousins of Stonington were in town last week called here by the death of Mrs. L. P. Doran.

Mrs. Addie Stimpson, who has been visiting this city has returned to her home in Stonington.

Mrs. Arthur Brown, who is the dramatic coach of Bowdoin College Masque and Gown, will accompany the players to this city and direct the performance of "Jack Straw," from behind the scenes tomorrow evening. Mrs. Brown, who is the wife of Professor Brown, the college instructor in languages, has for several years had charge in the capacity of adviser and coach of the college dramatics, covering especially the Ivy Day play and the play always presented at commencement, the latter usually one of Shakespeare's. Familiarity with stage technique added to a natural taste has made her services of inestimable value to this branch of college work and many real dramatic triumphs have been achieved under her direction. The present play ranks among the most marked in this connection. Rockland is one of the cities in which it is to be played during the spring.

Miss Nellie Cases of Springfield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Cahes, Maverick street.

Mrs. R. C. Hall has returned from a visit of several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Herick in Fall River.

Friends of Miss Marion Hamblin, formerly assistant superintendent of Knox Hospital, will be much relieved to learn that the steamship Philadelphia, on which she took passage one week ago Saturday, has safely arrived at Liverpool. The American liner reached that port Sunday, after a voyage that was filled with anxiety. Friday afternoon off the west coast of Ireland a cruiser approached the liner, causing some alarm. The cruiser went near enough to exchange signals with the steamer. A number of passengers spent the last night on deck in their chairs, with life belts beside them. The boats of the Philadelphia were ready for use. The steamer kept a course much farther out from the Irish coast than that which the Lusitania was traversing when she was torpedoed. The port officials carefully examined the passengers to discover if any spies were on board, but nobody was detained.

Mrs. A. S. Black is slowly recovering from a slight stroke of apoplexy. Thomas McLaughlin, formerly Maine Central station agent in this city, was operated upon in the Maine General Hospital, Portland last week. Latest news from the hospital is of a reassuring nature.

Class 26 of the M. E. Sunday school met at the church Thursday afternoon. A delicious dandelion green supper was served to about 60 members, visitors and their husbands, followed by an entertainment. Piano duet, Mrs. Littlehale and Miss Joyce Littlehale; reading, Miss Ruth Bowden; violin solo, Miss Beulah Bowden; reading, Mrs. Minnie Rogers; vocal solo, Mrs. Armstrong; reading, Mrs. Ralph Conant; piano solo, Miss Dorothy Robinson.

Miss Flora Wise who has resided for several years with the late Mrs. Eliza Keene, Claremont street, is to make her home with Mrs. Clara Black, Summer street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Farrow of Masonic street, will observe their 67th wedding anniversary tomorrow. Not many Knox couples can duplicate that record of domestic partnership.

Leander Woodcock of Vinalhaven and Samuel Woodcock of Barre, Vt., who were called here by the illness and death of their mother, Mrs. L. P. Doran, have returned to their homes.

Miss Emma Kuhn went to South Orono Saturday, called there by the illness of her sister.

Miss Gertrude Ruggles of South Weymouth is the guest of Mrs. Howard Walz.

Mrs. Lucila Witham who spent the winter in Thomaston, is occupying her cottage at Crescent Beach.

Golden Rod Chapter entertained members of Forget-me-not Chapter of South Thomaston and Orient Chapter of Union, Friday night. Supper was served at 6, and those in charge of the dining room deserve a great deal of credit for the excellent feast. The degrees were conferred upon three, after which the worthy matron presented an

excellent program: Music by the Eastern Star quartet, readings by Mrs. Grace Winslow and Mrs. Warren Gardner, solos by Mrs. Gertrude Tibbels and Mrs. Helen Cross. All responded to recalls. About 200 members and visitors were present.

E. H. Hatch was operated upon at the Maine General Hospital in Portland last Wednesday, and is reported to be making rapid recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances, to Clarence A. Thistle. Mrs. John Austin, who has been making an extended visit with her son, Summer, has returned to her home on the Old County road.

BUILT IN THE WOODS

Sch. Margaret M. Ford, Vinalhaven Product, Lost Near Nassau.

A despatch from Nassau in Friday's New York Herald states that the schooner Margaret M. Ford, Webster, is ashore at Riding Rocks, with hold full of water and bottom gone. She was bound from Gulpport for Genoa, with lumber.

The Ford was built at Pleasant River, Vinalhaven, in 1904, and registered 365 tons. Capt. Webster of Vinalhaven and J. B. Ford of Cambridge, Mass., were the owners.

EMPIRE THEATRE

Today is your last chance to see this grand program headed by the big Kalem Alice Joyce series entitled "The Leech." It was a desperate game Carl Linden, scoundrel and society parasite played. But for the timely appearance of Grace, the girl he had deserted three months after their marriage, the man would have tricked Helen Tully, an heiress, into a marriage and robbed her of a fortune. The scoundrel's exposure revealed to George Tully, who loved Grace, just why it was that the girl had steadily declined to marry him. It also revealed to a socially-ambitious mother the awful danger to which she had exposed her daughter. Besides there are other big features. Coming Wednesday afternoon and Thursday, the 12th instalment of the "Exploits of Elaine;" the Hearst Selig and others.

Wednesday evening Bowdoin College Masque and Gown presents "Jack Straw," one of John Drew's successes.—adv.

Germany's reply to President Wilson's note on the Lusitania disaster is awaited with world-wide interest. It may be conciliatory, but the news despatches indicate that it is not likely to be satisfactory.

MASQUE AND GOWN

Bowdoin College Dramatic Club To Give a Notable Performance in Rockland Tomorrow Evening.

When Masque and Gown, the dramatic club of Bowdoin College, appears at The Empire tomorrow evening, it will afford Rockland people a unique entertainment—unique in the sense that the cast, both male and female parts, is exclusively made up of college men. It will be recalled with what success the same organization presented its play, "The Marriage of Kitty," in this city last spring. The play this year is even more striking, being the three-act farce "Jack Straw," first brought out in London by Charles Hawtry and starred in by John Drew in this country. It has been prepared with great care under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Brown (wife of Prof. Brown) who has been the dramatic coach at Bowdoin for several years.

Three of last season's performers will appear tomorrow. Mellon, who then played "Kitty," an exceedingly clever piece of feminine impersonation, has on this occasion the still more difficult role of "Lady Waneleigh," of which he gives a very artistic interpretation; Philip S. Smith, who had one of the chief parts and now plays "Ambrose Holland," and Richard S. Fuller of this city, who last year played the English butler, appears in the title role. There are three feminine parts. The characters in the order of their appearance are as follows:

Lady Waneleigh, Ralph R. Mellon '15
Ambrose Holland, Philip S. Smith '15
Jack Straw, Richard S. Fuller '16
Rosie Abbott, Sydney M. Brown '17
Mrs. Parker-Jennings, L. A. Biggers '17
Mr. Parker-Jennings, Burton Stride '17
Ethel Parker-Jennings, C. M. Pike '17
Vincent Parker-Jennings, R. S. Derby '18
Lord Serlo, Carl K. Ross '17
Footman, Lloyd O. Colter '18
Count Adrien v. Bremer, D. J. Edwards '18

Time: The present. Act 1 the lounge of the Grand Babylon Hotel. Act 2, the Parker-Jennings place in Cheshire. Act 3, same as act one, the next morning.

Tickets are now on sale at The Empire and may be ordered by telephone, 35 and 50 cents. From the interest apparent throughout social and amusement circles the play is going to be greeted by a fine audience. Cars to all points will leave after the performance.

The official board of Masque and Gown is: R. S. Fuller, president; D. J. Edwards, manager; Burton Stride, assistant manager; Mrs. Arthur Brown, coach; L. O. Colter, property manager.

Rockland Biffs the Ball

And Breaks Into the Percentage Column of the Knox-Waldo League—Thomaston Makes It Three Straight.

In the Knox-Waldo League Saturday Thomaston High won its third successive game, defeating Vinalhaven High 7 to 6, while Rockland High was winning at Belfast 13 to 9. Having won an easy victory in its first game with the islanders, Thomaston was due to repeat, and by the virtue of the same logic Rockland was scarcely expected to lose at Belfast, which had won the game on the Broadway ground by the decisive score of 10 to 5. Saturday's results mean that Thomaston is en route for the pennant, and can be stopped by only one team, that team being Rockland. If Rockland defeats Camden this afternoon it will pave the way for one grand struggle when Thomaston comes to the Broadway ground next Saturday afternoon.

Two weeks ago Manager Gould's team was trembling in its shoes at the mere mention of the word Thomaston. Since then it has defeated the Maine Law School team, which put it over every other school team in the county; and it showed at Belfast Saturday that it can slug the ball as no other Rockland high school team has done for some moons. Frightened of Thomaston? Not on your dander!

Here is the present standing of the League:

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Thomaston	3	0	1.000
Belfast	1	1	.500
Camden	0	1	.000
Vinalhaven	0	2	.000

Rockland 13, Belfast 9

Rockland High defeated Belfast High, Saturday, in face of about as many handicaps as the law allows. First of all it is no easy task for a visiting team to win in Belfast, owing to the peculiar conformation of the grounds, which makes accurate throwing to bases well nigh impossible for players unaccustomed to them.

Imagine, then, how a visiting team can win after making 10 errors (not counting four wild pitches) and giving 13 bases on balls. Sounds incredible, doesn't it?

Such generosity on the part of pitchers had probably never been witnessed in the history of the league. Santa Claus Rose gave five bases on balls, Kris Kringle Trueworthy gave eight and St. Nicholas Jipson contributed five. Verily,

the Christmas spirit was abroad in the land that day.

Rockland, first at bat, got a man to third base, but there were already two down, and Gregory's grounder to Salter put an end to Rockland's hopes as far as the first inning was concerned. Belfast scored once in that inning, after Kallach had made an excusable miff of a ball that landed along-side right field fence. The home team had the bases full after that but Salter grounded to Rose and made the third out. Belfast again filled the bases in the second inning, with only one down, but could get only one run across.

Rose meantime had walked four Belfast men and showed such unmistakable signs of having gone into the air, that Coach Lamb substituted Trueworthy. The home team was unable to bunch hits off him, but was obliged to, for the reason that he gave eight bases on balls and four wild pitches during the five innings that he remained on the mound.

Rockland had three goose eggs in a row when the fourth inning came. Belfast will always remember that session as "The Fatal Fourth." The lead from the Limerock City bumped the ball right and left, to the great confusion of the Belfast shortstop. Those three errors added to four clean singles, netted Rockland six large, succulent runs. The visitors indulged in an errorless the same inning, which ended with Rockland two runs to the good.

Neither side scored in the fifth and sixth, and each side made three tallies in the seventh.

It was then that Coach Lamb showed good judgment by sending Rose back into the box, being enabled to do this by the fact that Rose had been transferred to the outfield after the second inning. Belfast rooters were joyful when they saw Rose on the mound again, for they figured upon a repetition of his previous wildness. They felt less jubilant when he fanned the first two batters, and then administered the same medicine to Noyes, after Jipson had reached second.

The fact that Rockland had a lead of six runs when Belfast came to bat in the last inning did not prevent it from being an exciting finish. With men on second and third, E. Hatch drove the ball over right field fence for a double. This cut the visitors' lead to four runs, with only one man down. Salter drew a base on balls, and visions of a glorious ninth inning finish confronted the loyal supporters of the home team. Rose here showed his mettle by striking out the next two batsmen and displaying speed with which he had not generally been credited. It was a fine piece of work.

The star of the game was Gregory. The Rockland shortstop, who accepted all of his eight difficult chances besides making three clean singles. His throw to the plate, with the bases full, was a classy performance. The score:

Team	ab	r	h	b	h	po	a	e
Colburn, 2b	4	2	1	2	0	2	0	1
Holbrook, cf	5	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Kallach, rf	5	2	2	2	0	2	0	2
Oney, 2b	5	1	2	2	1	4	1	1
Gregory, ss	5	1	3	3	5	0	0	0
Spear, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trueworthy, p	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Rose, c	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Noyes, p	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Richardson, c	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1
MacAllister, 1b	4	1	2	2	7	0	0	0
	40	13	12	12	27	13	9	9

Belfast High

Team	ab	r	h	b	h	po	a	e
Noyes, 2b	3	2	1	1	2	2	0	0
Pendleton, cf	5	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
Shute, lf	5	2	1	4	0	0	0	1
Roberts, 2b	5	2	1	4	1	4	1	1
H. Hatch, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E. Hatch, ss	4	0	2	3	0	2	4	1
Salter, 1b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Gannon, c	5	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Jipson, p	3	2	2	1	4	0	0	0
	39	9	7	8	27	13	5	5

Innings.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Rockland, 0 0 0 6 0 0 3 2 2—13

Belfast, 1 1 0 2 0 0 3 0 2—9

Two-base hit, E. Hatch. Bases on balls, by Rose 5, by Trueworthy 8, by Jipson 5. Struck out, by Rose 6, by Trueworthy 3, by Jipson 9. Passed balls, by Gannon 4. Wild pitches, by Trueworthy 4. Hit by pitcher's ball, Holbrook. Stolen bases, by Colburn, Holbrook, Kallach 3, Oney, Rose, Richan, MacAllister, Noyes, Roberts 2. E. Hatch 2, Jipson, Umpire, Ralph Darby.

Thomaston High defeated Vinalhaven High 7 to 6 at Vinalhaven Saturday. Linnell and Clark were the Thomaston battery.

The Allies were defeated by the Colonial Club at Kennedy's alleys last night. The score was 22 to 219.

FINE VESSEL GONE

Capt. Thomas J. Ginn Loses the Schooner Lewiston Off Brazil.

News of the loss of the four-masted schooner, Lewiston, of this port, off Maranhao, Brazil, was received in Boston Saturday. All of the crew reached shore safely in the ship's boat.

The Lewiston, which was carrying coal from Norfolk, struck a reef 12 miles from Maranhao. She was commanded by Capt. Thomas J. Ginn, who was a large owner in the schooner.

The Lewiston was launched from Cobb, Butler & Co.'s yard in this city Sept. 24, 1908, being christened by Capt. Ginn's daughter, Edith.

She registers 717 tons, was 99.5 feet long, 32.5 beam, 14.9 draft, and carried a crew of eight. Her home port was Boston. She cost \$65,500.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Catholic Organization Held State Convention in Lewiston Last Week—What the Order Is.

The 20th annual State convention of the Knights of Columbus was held last week in Lewiston, where the delegates were given a most cordial reception. Limerock Council of Rockland was represented by P. J. Burns.

Reports showed that the total membership in Maine is 1779, while the national organization has 335,437 members.

The Knights of Columbus is an organization of Catholic laymen for benevolent and educational objects and the fostering of patriotism among its members. Its benevolent objects are secured by its insurance features, which is admitted by competent authorities to be one of the best fraternal insurances in the United States. Its educational feature is accomplished by lectures and entertainments of an elevating and instructive character and by financial assistance to institutions of learning. Only recently the order has provided an endowment fund of \$500,000 for the establishment of 50 yearly scholarships in the Catholic University at Washington, D. C. The first examination for the above scholarships were held in August and among the successful candidates was one from Maine. The second and yearly examination will be held soon and the order in Maine will be represented among the applicants.

Its patriotic feature is presented forcefully in its degree work and cannot fail to impress lasting lessons on its members. The Knights of Columbus at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war was the first fraternal order to waive its constitutional provision in excluding soldiers as hazyards, insurance and associate, the latter beneficiaries of members enlisting in the United States Army did not suffer loss of insurance in case of death. Its membership is composed of two classes, insurance and associate, the latter consisting of those who by reason of age or physical disability are not eligible for insurance.

Following are the statistics for the national organization: Insured membership, 108,033; associate membership, 227,401; total membership, 335,437; number of sub councils, 1693; number of State councils, 52. Amount of funds classified, March: General fund, \$81,773; death benefit fund, \$50,000; mortuary reserve fund, \$5,453,354; mortuary reserve fund of 1892, \$254,035; total, \$5,798,163.

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Miscellaneous

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IT WAS "ROCKLAND NIGHT"

Rockland Skaters Capture Prizes at Belfast Carnival, and Rockland Bowlers Win Easy Victory in That City.

Here are two interesting items from Anne Kittredge's Belfast correspondence in the Bangor News:

It was evidently Rockland night in Belfast, for not only did the team from the Limerock city win the bowling game but a Rockland couple won the first prizes at the skating carnival



HON. ARTHUR CHAPIN
Who Announces His Candidacy for the Republican Nomination for Governor of Maine in 1916

Hon. Arthur Chapin of Bangor, who announces that he will be a candidate in the primary of 1916 for the Republican nomination for governor of Maine, is widely known and highly esteemed in every part of the state as a fine type of the progressive business man and civic leader, and one whose participation in public affairs always has been marked by dignity and success. A native of Orrington, Mr. Chapin has spent the greater part of his life in Bangor, where he has prospered in business, being now the head of a large wholesale house, and where he has been honored with three successive elections as mayor by decisive Republican majorities. He is identified with many of the financial, industrial, commercial, philanthropic and educational institutions of the city, and always has manifested an active interest in all that concerns the welfare of his city and the state.

BRISTOL TO CELEBRATE

Lincoln County Town Getting Well Along in Years, To Wit: 150.

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Bristol, a celebration will be held in the latter part of June at Fort William Henry, Pemaquid Beach, under the auspices of the citizens. The town has appropriated the sum of \$500 for the purpose of observing the event, and has appointed, to plan for the exercises, a committee consisting of Representative Henry E. Chamberlain of Round Pond, Nathan J. Hanna of New Harbor and George A. Huston of Bristol Mills.

The territory known as Bristol was first visited by the white man in 1607, when the famous Popham touched at Pemaquid, while on his memorable voyage to the New World. The first act of incorporation was passed June 21, 1765, but, the northern boundary was passed the following year, June 19, 1766. Bristol is one of the most historic towns in Maine, having been a trading center for the Indians in early colonial days. The ancient settlement of Jamestown, now known as Pemaquid, is one of the interesting villages of the town.

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NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT

May 1st 1915.

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Gentlemen:-

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1. RELIABILITY OF TEST.

A preliminary test was made on April 19th, using a new car which was rather stiff. The showing was so good that we decided to make a second test. This was made on April 30th, using same car. On this test, the car showed less stiffness and the performance was better than on the first car. The second test was supervised by our most careful experts, and the results, I believe to be perfectly reliable.

2. MILEAGE.

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Very truly yours,

E. H. Lockwood

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING.

The table furnished by the Yale Sheffield Scientific School

Power and Fuel test made on high gear of Maxwell stock Touring Car on comparatively level roads by Professors E. H. Lockwood and T. Q. Boyer, Sheffield Scientific School, Yale University.

	MAXWELL, 1915 Model "25"
1. Name of car	Biever Motor Car Co., New Haven
2. Owner of car	April 30th, 1915
3. Date of test	2,000 lbs.
4. Weight of car with driver	20 sq. ft.
5. Wind resisting area	36 lbs.
6. Rolling resistance, declutched, high	3.55 to 1
7. Rear ratio, direct, measured	30 x 3.5
8. Tires, size, front and rear	Inflated to 70 lbs.
9. Tires, make, U. S. Non-skid	103 inches
10. Wheel base	Four, 3 5/8 x 4 1-2
11. Cylinders	K. D.
12. Carburetor	Battery and Simms Magneto
13. Ignition	Simms-Huff
14. Starter	0.72
15. Gasoline spec. grav.	

SPEED Miles per Hour	DRAWBAR PULL Pounds	HORSEPOWER At Rear Tires	FUEL Miles per Gallon
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30.1	90.	7.2	23.2
40.	132.	14.1	19.3

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